



# State of Utah

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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June 20, 2016

Erez Goldgraber  
Bromide Mining, LLC.  
80 Southwest 8<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 2000  
Miami, Florida 33130

Subject: Status of Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Bromide Mining LLC, Bromide Basin Mine, S/017/0031, Garfield County, Utah

Dear Mr. Goldgraber:

The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining was recently notified that Shane Scott is no longer working for Bromide Mining LLC. Mr. Scott was listed in the Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations (Notice) as the contact person though he was not listed as a member or manager. Please supply an amendment showing who the correct contact will be.

On August 18, 2014, the Division accepted an amended Notice showing a disturbed area of 4.482 acres. Any mining outside of the approved area will result in enforcement action.

The Division received an application on April 7, 2016, to increase the disturbed area to 9.96 acres and, by letter dated May 16, 2016, approved the expansion **conditional on receipt of an increase in the reclamation surety of \$43,600.00 or \$49,200. The Division has yet to receive the surety increase, so no expansion beyond 4.482 acres is approved.**

Enclosed with this letter are copies of the current Notice and the May 16, 2016, letter.

Please contact Wayne Western at 801-538-5263 or me at 801-538-5261 if you have questions regarding this letter. In reply please refer to file number S/017/0031.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker  
Minerals Program Manager

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Enclosures: May 16, 2016, letter and Copy of Notice

cc: John Reay, Hanksville BLM (jreay@blm.gov)

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